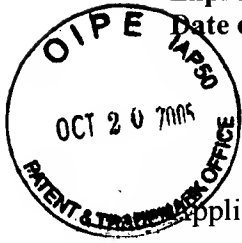


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Response to Non-Final Office Action dated April 20, 2005 (8 pages);
2. Exhibits 1-3;
3. Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time (1 page);
4. Check Number 2873 in the amount of \$510.00 to cover the extension fee; and
5. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (212) 935-3000, New York, New York.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. **50-0311** Ref. No. **21882-502**. Please address all correspondence to customer number **35437**. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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